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Offered by:

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"AN ACT ESTABLISHING AN ADVISORY COUNCIL ON LYME DISEASE AND OTHER TICK-BORNE DISEASES.""

- 1 After the last section, add the following and renumber sections and 2 internal references accordingly:
- 3 "Sec. 501. Subsection (a) of section 25-43 of the general statutes is
- repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof (Effective 4
- 5 *October 1, 2013*):
- 6 (a) Any person who bathes or swims in any reservoir from which
- 7 the inhabitants of any town, city or borough are supplied with water,
- 8 or in any lake, pond or stream tributary to any distribution reservoir,
- or in any part of any lake, pond or stream tributary to any storage
- 10 reservoir, which part is distant less than two miles measured along the
- 11 flow of water from any part of such storage reservoir, and any person
- 12 who causes or allows any pollutant or harmful substance to enter any
- 13 such public water supply reservoir, whether distribution or storage, or
- 14 any of its tributaries, or commits any nuisance in any public water
- 15 supply reservoir or its watershed, shall be fined not more than five

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hundred dollars. For the purposes of this section, "storage reservoir" 16 17 means an artificial impoundment of substantial amounts of water, 18 used or designed for the storage of a public water supply and the 19 release thereof to a distribution reservoir, and "distribution reservoir" 20 means a reservoir from which water is directly released into pipes or 21 pipelines leading to treatment or purification facilities or connected 22 directly with distribution mains of a public water 23 Notwithstanding the provisions of this subsection, a person shall be 24 permitted to swim in any body of water where flood-skimming is used 25 to transfer excess water from the body of water to a distribution 26 reservoir during periods when flood-skimming is not occurring, 27 provided swimming has been permitted in such body of water for a 28 period of not less than fifty years."

This act shall take effect as follows and shall amend the following

sections:			
Sec. 501	October 1, 2013	25-43(a)	